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G.O. No. 610

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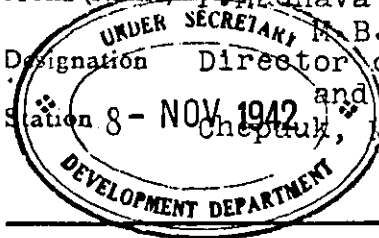
Despatch Abstract.

Chou Mr. Y-T - Chinese Silk Exp.
Appointed as Manager Govt. Silk
Filature Factory - Kollayat

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Industries and Commerce Department

From (Name) ~~P. Madhava Menon Esq.,~~
M. B. E., I. C. S.,
Designation Director of Industries
and Commerce,
Station 8 - NOV 1942
Chepauk, Madras.



Received

To

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.

Enclosures:

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No. 777-D/42 dated 6th November 1942.

Applications
to their en-
losures.

Sir,

Sub: Government Silk Filature Factory - Kollegal -
Employment of Manager (Gazetted).

Ref: G.O. No. MS. 455, Development dated 26th October 1942

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In response to the advertisement in "Hindu" dated the 15th and 17th October 1942 inviting applications for the post of Manager for the Government Silk Filature Factory, Kollegal applications have been received only from the following candidates:

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1-43-45 (F)

1. Sri V.M. Appadhorai Mudaliar,
Retired Assistant Superintendent of Sericulture,
Mysore Service.
2. Sri E.S. Vaidyanath, Manager, Kollegal Silk Filature
Ltd., Kollegal.
3. Sri A.K. Poovayya, Farm Manager, Government Sericultural Farm, Coonoor.

In view of the importance of war work in which the

Kollegal Silk Filatures Ltd., Kollegal is engaged, the management of the Silk Filatures is not willing to spare the services of Sri E.S.Vaidyanath. Further the Sericultural Expert, Kollegal is of the view that he does not possess the necessary qualifications to be the Manager of the new factory. With reference to the application of Sri A.K. Poovayya, the Sericultural Expert states that he has no filature experience. I agree with the Sericultural Expert that neither Sri Vaidyanath nor Sri Poovayya are suitable for the post. 7.53.0 b4

2. Sri Appadhorai Mudaliar possesses extensive knowledge and experience in Sericulture and silk reeling and he seems to be suitable for the Manager's post. The Sericultural Expert states that his knowledge of filature machinery ought to stand him in good stead in getting them installed and worked properly. It will be observed that Mr. Mudaliar will be completing fifty eight years of age in January 1943. I interviewed him in Madras today. He is an elderly man and looks his age, but apparently he is still capable of good work and appeared to be alert and well informed about the industry. I would have preferred a younger man but in the absence of any one younger and ~~xxx~~ at the same time suitable there is no choice. p4105

3 In the circumstances, I recommend that Sri V.M. Appadhorai Mudaliar, Retired Assistant Superintendent of Sericulture, Mysore Service be appointed as Manager (Gazetted) on Rs.350-45/2-500 for the Government Silk Filature Factory, Kollegal. The three applications (with their enclosures) are enclosed for perusal and return. I request that very early orders may be passed so that the Manager may enter on his duties as early as possible. There is a lot of preliminary work to be attended to to expedite the construction and installation of machinery and other matters relating to the Filature.

7.11.42
Director of Industries and Commerce.

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Memo No 10893 D/42-1 d

Sub: War - Supplies - Sericulture - Silk Reelure
Factory at Kollegal - Appointment of
Manager.

Ref: From the D.I.C., No 777 D/42 d 6.11.42.

The Govt. Consider that it is
not necessary to appoint a person
with special knowledge of, and experience
in, Sericulture to the Post of Manager, but
one who have business experience and be
running
~~can~~ ^{run} the factory efficiently. Should
~~be selected for the post.~~ The person so
selected may have to be given, according to

his experience, an initial pay at any stage
in the semi scale of pay sanctioned for the
post. The D.I.E. is requested to advertise
again immediately and to submit
proposals for the appointment of a suitable
person as Manager in the factory.

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DEVELOPMENT DEPT.

D.O.No.10893-D/42-2. dated 19 -11-1942.

My dear Madhava Menon,

With reference to Memorandum No.10893-D/42-1,
Development, dated 18-11-42 re: the appointment of a
Manager for the new Silk Filature factory at Kollegal,
I am to say that the Government do not consider
any of the 3 applicants suitable. The post has
therefore to be advertised again and the qualification
to be insisted on is good business experience so that
the man selected -would be able to run the business in
the factory efficiently.

Yours sincerely,

O/C. C. S. S.
1942

**Subject: War - Supplies - Sericulture - Silk Filature
Factory at Kollegal - Appointment of Manager
Advertisement**

**Reference: Government Memorandum No. 10893-D/42-1
dated 18th November 1942 and D.O.No. 10893-D/42-2
dated 19th November 1942.**

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As directed in the communications quoted above, I have again advertised the post of Manager, Silk Filature Factory at Kollegal, and shall report in due course to Government. When the post was advertised previously, stress was laid on sericultural and Filature experience because in the absence of a good and experienced technical staff in the factory, it was considered necessary that the Manager should himself have adequate technical knowledge and experience to guide and direct purchase of raw materials and factory operations. A non-technical Manager will be at a disadvantage in this respect till he acquires experience of the industry.
sufficient

In this connection I invite a reference to G.O.No. 1964 Public (Services) dated 16th October 1937, according to which a fee of Rs 15/- should be levied from each applicant for any post in the Provincial Service. The post of Manager, Silk Filature Factory has not been included in any Provincial Service and as such I consider that no fee need be levied from any candidate applying for the post. Further, it is unlikely that sufficient number of suitable candidates will be forthcoming so as to permit of a wide field of selection, if candidates are required to remit a fee of Rs 15/- with their applications. I have not, therefore, prescribed any fee in the advertisement inviting applications for appointment to the post.

Memo No 10893 D/42 - 5 d 301242

Sub: Public Service - Prov - Appointment - Fees ^{to be} levied
from Candidates - Waiver in the case of
Applications for the Post of Manager, Silk House
Factory - Approved.

Ref: From the D.I.E No. 777 D/42 dated
24.11.42

In the circumstances reported
by the D.I.E, the Govt ^{are pleased to direct} ~~approve his action~~
~~is not prescribing any~~ ^{that the} fee in respect
of the Applications from intending Candidates
for the post of Manager, Silk House Factory,
Kollagal, be waived.

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Memo No 10893 D/42 d 23.12.42

Sub: Industries - Sericulture - Silk Reelery Factory
at Kollegal - Appointment of a Manager.

Ref: From the D.I.E., No 777 D/42 d 24.11.42

The D.I.E. is requested
to submit urgently proposals for the
appointment of a Manager for the Silk
Reelery Factory at Kollegal.

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to Manager D.I.E. new
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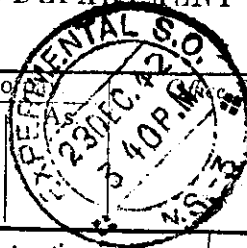
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~~Telegram no. 10893 8742 d 4.1.43~~

To Targett, Director General, Supply, New De

:- G. A. K. R.

Your telegram is by tx - 62 (18) of 22nd Decer
regarding securing of services of two
persons from China for filatures in Mad
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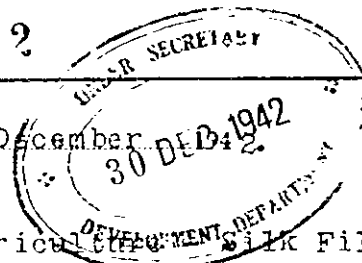
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 From (Name) P. Madhava Manon Esq.,
 M.B.E., I.C.S.;
 Designation Director of Industries
 and Commerce,
 Station M a i r a s.

Received Registered
 To
 The Secretary to Government,
 Development Department.

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Enclosures :

No. 777-D/42 dated 29th December

Sir,

Subject: War - Supplies - Sericulture - Silk Filature
 Factory at Kollegal - Appointment of Manager.

Reference: Government Memorandum No. 10893-D/42-1 dated
 18th November 1942.

S. H. above

As directed by Government in the Memorandum quoted above I again called for applications for the post of Manager of the Government Filature under construction at Kollegal emphasising that the applicants should have business experience and be capable of running the factory efficiently. 53 Applications have been received and I am submitting them for the information of Government along with a tabulate statement summarising the information supplied by the applicants. None of the applicants appears to be very suitable. Commercial experience in buying and selling would not appear to be of special value in running this factory having regard to the fact that cocoons, the most important raw material will be bought at controlled rates and the silk produced will be taken over by the Government of India at cost price. If selection is to be made from amongst the applicants, the candidates who appear to deserve any consideration

at all are candidates Nos. 4, 5, 8, 25, 26, 39, 40, 48, 51 and 52 in the list enclosed. If Government consider that a selection may be made from amongst those, I suggest that a small selection committee may be formed with the Secretary to Government, Development Department and myself to make a selection after interviewing the candidates and submit nomination to Government.

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Approved
30/12/42
Director of Industries and Commerce.

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Experiences and posts held.

Merchant, Ellore - Business in 'African Shop' and 'American shop'

Working part... in construction of bridges and culverts and earth-work - Trading in ~~expens~~ coffee seeds. Dealt in ~~Palnupet~~ ^{Palnupeta} jaggery - cotton seeds, molasses and tobacco.

College
Pharmacy and

Have been managing partners of British Pharmacy F.S.Chindeery & Co. Chemists - ~~Duggists~~ ^{Druggists}, Opticians, ~~Painters~~.

Proprietor for over 30 years - Have had great experience

President of the Indian Catholic Association.

Vice President of the Indian Christian Association

-do- Golden Jubilee ~~XXXXXX~~ friend in Need Society.

Member of the Rangoon rotary club, Rangoon Trades Association.

-do- Indian Chamber of Commerce.

Doing business and supplying graded charcoal for gas plants - Intimate knowledge of fuel market, forest conditions and had respectable business contracts - Sent note of his finds and proposals and is under consideration of Government of India. Given training in Government office Administration. Gathered considerable knowledge about the Sericultural organisation - Saw the parachute Section at Kashmir and improved methods of silk filature - Seen the South Indian Silk Factory at Gudlattan.

At present employee under Messrs. Hindustan Aircraft Ltd., Bangalore as Planning Engineer.

Business experience: Is the proprietor of Messrs. Modern Electrical Stores, Madura - Electrical Engineers and Contractors.

Posts held:- Electrical Assistant Supervisor from 2-4-40 to 6-9-41
Electrical Superintendent of the Tea Factory at St. Catherine's Estate, St. Helens Estate from May 38 to March 39.

Was in charge of Electrical plant - Queen Confection Co., Ceylon.

Employed for 14 years at Sholapur Spinning and Weaving Co., as an officer Statistical Accountant in charge of Statistics, Production Control, ~~Efficiency~~ Efficiency, Cost, Insurance, Market, Analysis and Market Research and Labour ~~XXXXXX~~ problems.

(2) Budget control - for few months at Hindustan Aircraft, Bangalore

At present employed at Messrs. Binny & Co. Ltd., as Cost Accountant, and attached to Mill Sales Section - Drawing Rs. 450/- per month.

Held several appointments such as consulting Engineer, Railway Engineer, Military Engineer, Garrison Engineer, Professor and Principal, Education Department, Government of Bombay. Superintendent C.N.T. Institute - Irrigation Engineer (French India Government).

All round sportsman of the Northern Circars and won ~~up to~~ ^{Cups} Hockety, and Foot-ball. Worked in the Cocanada Municipality and Revenue Department temporarily worked as Manager under Railway Contractor in M. & S. M. Railway.

No.	Name of candidate.	Age	Community	Educational Qualifications.	Technical qualifio.
32.	T.S. Subramania Iyer (Madras)	39	Brahmin.		
33.	G.V.S.M. Murti (Cocanada)	38	~~xxxxxx~~	S.S.L.C. Advanced Book-keeping - Passed an Examination in the India School of Accountancy, C.	
34.	A.C. Karanth, (Mangalore)	29	Brahmin	S.S.L.C.	
35.	T.K. Purushottan, (Vellore)	32			
36.	M. Gopala Pillai (Madras).		Nair		
37.	C. Raju (Cocanada)	50	Non-Brahmin		
38.	Y.R. Subramanyam (Madras)	32	Brahmin	S.S.L.C.	
39.	N. Narayanan (Theni, Madura).	38	Brahmin		Undergone course of Commerce, Madras in Book-keeping and Correspondence.
40.	K. Gopala Rao (Bobbili)			B.A. (Mathematics)	B.Sc. (Electrical and Electrical Engineering) (City & Guild of Institute) 1st Class.
41.	P.S. Gopalakrishnan (Coimbatore)	25	Non-Brahmin.	B.A., B.L., (Mathematics)	
42.	K.S. Bharedwaj (Kollegal).	41		B.A.	
43.	K.R. Kailasam, Kallai (Previously an Asst. Chemist of the Dept. of Industries and Sericultural Branch)	25		B.A. (Chemistry Main) First class and First rank in Chemistry.	
44.	M. Dandayudapani, Madras.	33		B.Sc. (Geology, Botany Zoology).	
45.	R. Ramaswami, Madura	43	Brahmin	~~undergraduate~~	Government Diploma in Accounting

Experience and posts held.

Was in charge of Clothing Factory of Messrs. Benson & Co., Government and Railway Contractors. Money & Co., Aerated Water works Served in English Club at Cuddalore. - Travelling representative of Messrs. Parry & Co. Commercial Reporter to Hindu - Madras Mail and Indian Express. Now As Honorary Secretary to the Sunshine Edibles Cooperative Society, Ltd., Madras.

Worked for 8 years in the Vizianagaram Press & Mills Co. Ltd., and was an accountant in the firm - Book-keeper of the Gordon Woodroffe & Co and Sub-Agent for some time.

Head-Clerk and Accountant of M. Krishna R. Nayak & Sons, Mangalore.

Was representing the Prudential Assurance Company of England for more than five years.

Have been the Manager of Messrs. Premier Indian Scientific Co. Madras for the last 13 1/2 years.

Experience in the Development organisation and Management of Decaan Sugar and Abkhari Co. Ltd. - Conducted business with the Hubli Bone Mills Public and the French India Bone Mills, Pondicherry.

Electrical and Mechanical Engineering for one year at the Kala Bhavan Technical Institute, Baroda - Trained in Commercial Wood preservation at the Imperial Forest Research Institute, Dehra Dun, U.P.

(1) Assistant - Callendar's Cable and Construction Co. Ltd., Bombay and also travelling salesman.

(2) South Arcot Electricity Distribution Co. Ltd., Mount Road, Madras - was employed as Stores Officer, Revenue Officer, Accounts Officer and lastly as an Assistant on contract Rs. 300-25-400 per month - Last Pay drawn Rs. 400/-.

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(1) Apprentice in Messrs. V. Subramaniyam & Bros. - Importers, Exporters, Railway and Government Contractors, Consulting Engineers. After 5 years service, was a partner for 15 years and finally became sole proprietor which was held for 6 years - 21 years business experience - Does not know the technical side of silk but guarantees satisfaction on the administrative side.

Mechanical)
Distribu-
ondon In-

Electrical Engineer and Secretary - Motors and General Stores Ltd. - Bobbili - Have also been working as Manager of the Bobbili Oil Mills a Registered factory. Was in charge of Electricity Department of the Guntur Municipality for more than 3 years. - Gained business experience for 5 years as Secretary - Motors & General Stores, Bobbili.

Association with the management of the Standard Bricks & Tile Co. Yelahanka, The Standard Potteries, Alwaye, And Calicut Tile Co., Feroke. Gained business knowledge in auditing the accounts of Joint stock Companies, Banker, Insurance Companies and factories.

Is a publicity Officer - Eastern States Publicity Bureau, Nagpur Worked as Editor and Manager of the 'Hitavada' having to do with organisation of the business and control of labour.

Was a chemist under the Sericultural Expert, Kollegal in charge of production and supply of silworm ligature guts - His research and organisation was responsible for the flourishing state of ~~Govt.~~ ~~ment~~ industry.

Managing and running a sugar factory for over two years - Has good business experience, control of labour, organisation of purchase and sales, General Office work.

20 years experience as an Accountant. Articled clerk and Senior Assistant for 3 years with Messrs. A. F. Fergusson & Co., Manager of Messrs. P. T. Abraham & Co., Govt. Diplomaed Accountants, Madras, Madras Branch of Mr. M. K. Dandekar B.A., F.S.A.A. Internal Auditor of an European firm. Accountant of Messrs. Spencer & Co., Quty and ~~Messrs. Higginbothams. At present~~

No.	Name of candidate.	Age:	Community	Educational Qualifications.	Technical Qualifications.
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46.	Sulaiman Hajee Abdullah Ellore		Muhamadan	School Final	
47.	M.S.K.S. Karuppiah Nadar, Tinnevely.	42	Non-Brah- min	S.S.L.C.	

48.	F.S. Chindooroy, Mylapore (Rangoon Evacuee)	53	~~xxxxx~~	Passed College of Preceptor amination at London.	Diploma of the Lond of Chemistry, Ph Botany.
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49.	M.A. Wahab	29	Mohamadan	B.Sc. Zoology, Main Botany, Geology (Subsidiary)	
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50.	J.S.F. Rodriga	34	Indian - Christian	B.A., (Science)	B.Eng. (L'pool) Grad
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51.	W.N.S. Chari				(1) Diploma in Economics (2) Graduate Institute of Industrial Administration, (3) Fellow Royal Statist London. (4) Member, Institute of Works Accounts, Lond (5) Member, National Ass of Cost Accountants (6) Associate, National I of Industrial Psycho
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52.	J.D. Ryan, Chief Engineer, Jeypore Samasthanam.				
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53.	N. Rudriah B.A., Cocanada.	32	Non-Brah- min-Telugu.	Mathematics. Graduate.	
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Ref No.	Name of Candidate.	Age	Community	Educational Qualifications.	Technical Qualifications.
107	16. R. Achyuta Menon, Guruvayur	43			
109-110	17. K. Sadasivan (Trivandrum).	428		B.A., B.L. of Madras University. Law Graduate.	
114-119	18. K.R. Venkatarama Sarma, Madras.			B.A., B.L.	
121-127	19. C.S. Visvanathan (Kollegal)	46			
129-130	20. T. Venkappa-Hegde (Udipi)	49		B.A. (Chemistr	
131-133	21. C. Chandramurthy (Saidapet)	38	Hindu Naidu	B.A., B.L. (Economics)	
135-145	22. T.A. Chandrasekharan (Chy)	34	Hindu Brahmin.	Intermediate (Mathematics, physics and chemistry).	Diploma in soap m Kerala Soap Insti
147-156	23. K. Ranga Rao (Mysore)	47		Intermediate (Mysore)	Diploma in textil
157-161	24. C. Sunder Rao (Cocanada)	43		Intermediate	Diploma in commerc Final Examination Incorporated Secre Association, Lond
163-169	25. T.K.K. Murti (Coimbatore)	47			
171-175	26. Sri R. Adisesha Naidu (Madras)	42		S.S.L.C.	Book-keeping Banking Auditing - Co-operat Account Tests.
177-187	27. Sri S. Mohan (Palasa)	45	N.B.	S.S.L.C.	
189	28. Sri K.N. Krishnamurthy (Mayavaram)	48			
194	29. N.V. Sarma (Tenali)	28			Diploma in Indian D the Imperial Dairy Bangalore..
	30. T.E. Naidu, (Bangalore)	47			
	31. C.S. Krishnaswamy (Madras)	35			

Experiences and Posts held.

Advocate of the Madras High Court.

Lawyer in the High Court - Has served under the Government of Travancore for 8 months - Good practical experience in managing own businesses.
Advocate, Madras High Court - Have business experience and capable of running a factory.

Managing Railway Out Agency office and a bus service - Was in the Directorate of the Coimbatore Textiles Ltd - Was Managing the 'Asoka Mart' - Coimbatore - Conversant with the local silk trade and local conditions.

1st Grade Pleader, Udipi - Was working in the Biochemical Department of the Indian Institute of Science - 2 Years - Intimate experience of the working of handlooms.

Practitioner - Madras Bar - 9 years - Live interests for active sports.

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weaving. Worked for 6 months in Bangalore Woollen Cotton and Silk Mills - 6 months as weaving Demonstrator - 3½ years as Superintendent of Government Weaving Factory, Bangalore. - Started own power and hand loom factory - now closed down.

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Service in Messrs. Gordon Woodroffe & Co., Cocanada - Practical experience for over 18 years and as agent for over 11 years.
Agencies of Nellimerla Jute Mills and Indian Steel Rolling Mills.

All round experience in spinning, reeling and weaving for over 25 years - Fully conversant with plant and machinery and work of filature - Managed mills with more than 2000 labourers.

Was a weaving master for 2 years and 10 months in the Jajodia Cotton Mills, Calcutta.

--do-- Assistant Weaving Master in Morarjee Goculdas Spinning and Weaving Co., Bombay for more than 5 years.

' a weaving master in the Madras United Spinning and Weaving Mills (for about 10 years)

Now a weaving master in Kalleswar Mills. Occasionally acted as Manager on Rs.450/- per mensem.

Cooperative Sub-Registrar;

on &

Secretary - Madras Provincial Cooperative Marketing Society, Triplican for over three years - 20 Years service in Cooperative Department. Was Manager, Central Cooperative Printing Works under the Factory Act for about two years - Strongly recommended by the Registrar of Cooperative Societies.

Was an Excise Sub-Inspector - Brewery Officer at Madras - Agent of Scindia Steam Navigation - Councillor of the Chicacole Municipality - At present a honorary special second class Magistrate - Vice President of Bench Court Now running a Rice Factory at Polasah.

Was in employ of Messrs. Ralli Bros., as Salesman and Manager for more than 15 years - Doing business independently.

ying at
stitute,

Undergone Cooperative Training - Worked as Milk Investigator in the Agricultural Department - Livestock Superintendent etc. At present Lecturer in Agriculture at B.T. College, Tenali.

Head steward - Medical Department - Burma - 25 years - (2) In charge of weaving factory and workshop attached to Mental Hospital, Rangoon - Pay Rs.240/- per mensem.

Served over seven years in Messrs. Srinivas & Co. - leading silk house in Conjeevaram with more than 500 hand looms.

--do-- as Manager in the various Departments of Messrs. Simpson & Co.

--do-- Sri Rama Vilas Service (Bus Service).

LIST OF APPLICATIONS RECEIVED FOR
GOVERNMENT SILK FILATURES, K

	No.	Name of candidate	Age	Community	Educational Qualification.	Technical qua
1-3	1.	S.S. Sharma, Bangalore (Burma Evacuee)	36		Appeared for B.A. (Punjab)	- - -
1-7	2.	K.A. Menon, Ernakulam	48		M.A. (New York)	
4-19	3.	T. Ramakrishnaya, Bangalore	33		M.A. (M.A. (.....tta)	Cert A.I.I.B. A.I.S.A. D.Com. Mysore (Higher) Second Part Accountant's mination of India.
21	4.	M.S. Seetharam, Mysore	38			Diploma in A of Agricultu Bangalore.
23-30	5.	M.K. Narayana Jois, Kollegal.	33		Graduate (Mysore)	
31-33	6.	P.K. Sankaran, Pallikannur	24		B.A. (Chemistry)	
36	7.	A. Sessa Gopalan, Madurai Retd. Govt. Servant)	55		B.A., M.L.	Accounts Sect. lation Higher class Vernacu Tamil C.P.C. Examination.
37-51	8.	Ghulam Jeelan, Bangalore (in Govt. Service).	36	Muhmadan	B.A. (Phy- sical Science)	G.D.A.
63-65	9.	S. Varadachari (Trichy)	42		Graduate in Agriculture of C	
5-57	10.	C.J. Lonappan (Tiruchur)	29		B.Sc.B.L., (Chemistry)	
	11.	G. Ranganathan, Madras	40	Non- Brahmin.	Arts Graduate.	
	12.	B. Vira Anjaneyalu (Repalli.)		arya- Vysia	B.A.	B.Ed.
	13.	R.K. Nagar, (Tiruchur) (Burma Evacuee)		Malabar	B.A. (Madras)	F.R.G.S. (Fello Royal Geograph
	14.	M.A. Khudus, (Tanjore)		B.A. (Madras)		
	15.	E.S. Sreenivasan (Koduvayur)			B.Sc. (Hons), (Annamalai University)	

POST OF MANAGER?
LEGAL.

Location	Experiences and posts held.
1940-1941	...
1942-1943	...
1944-1945	...
1946-1947	...
1948-1949	...
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— (Manager of Messrs. Uberoi Ltd., Rangoon - 13 years business experience
(worked in factories at Sialkot for 2 years.
17 years experience in various American business institutions -
export, import and agency business at Cochin - Lately in charge of
Cochin potteries.

(1) Assistant Secretary of Mysore Cooperative (2) Head Accountant of the Bangalore Transport Co. (3) Internal Auditor - Government Electric Factory, Bangalore for 3 months (4) Assistant to a Registered Accountant for over 3 years (5) Examiner in Mathematics and Commerce the Regd. Mysore University Technical Examination.

1. Undergone training in all the branches of Sericulture for a year in 1925 in Sericultural Department - Government of Mysore, Mysore.

2. Was working a five unit basin of his own at his estate in Kolar District in 1935.

3. Continued growing mulberry and rearing silk worms till 1937.

1. Undergone Sericultural training in the Government Silk Farm, Mugur for 4 months.
2. Working as Manager for the factory work and silk Business in the Silk Throwing and Weaving Factory, Mamballi.

Is an Assistant Managing Proprietor of Sree Ganapathi Weaving Co

, Trans Tamil Judicial Subordinate Service for 30 years - for 8 Years as
~~1st~~ 2nd Sherishtadar of District Court.
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 Apprentices

1. Worked as an Assistant in the Government of India, Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee.
2. Worked as an Assistant Manager in ~~Mysore~~ Messrs. Parry & Co. for 2 years.
3. Holding the post of Secretary, Mysore Government Industrial and Testing Laboratory, Bangalore.

1. Propaganda Inspector for Chemicals and Fertilisers of Messrs. Imperial Chemical Industries. (5 Years).
2. Since 7 years is the Chief propaganda Inspector of the Mysore Fertilisers Co.
3. Was in charge of Factory manufacturing potato chips, possesses administrative, commercial and business experience.

Working as the Manager, Kōkkalai Rice and Oil Mills , Foundry and Engineering Workshop and Iyyappan Soap Works, Trichur
Was secretary of the Madras Bus and Commercial Vehicle Owners' Association, Madras .
Was Secretary of the Suburban Bus Transport and South Indian Bus Transport.
Knows Motor Mechanism - Mechanical Drawing - Vice President of Drivers' and Conductors' Union. Can manage technical side of the factory though do not know silk manufacture.

Business experience of about 5 years though not in a silk business. Now teacher in the Dist. Board High School - worked in Rice Factory and Timber Depot.

19 years service as Senior Master in the Education Department -
Pay Rs.275/-. Trained Scout Master and a keen athlete.

Practical knowledge in business of 7 years experience. is now manager and partner of Deccan Commercial Syndicate.

D.O.No. 54/TX-62(157)
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF SUPPLY.
New Delhi, the 6th Jany. 1943.

14 JAN 1943

DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

My dear Bell,

Reference our recent conversation regarding recruitment of two Chinese executives to run the new silk filatures in Madras. I have now heard from the E.A.Deptt. that there would be no objection to our accepting your kind offer to assist us in this respect by arranging for the engagement of two Chinese experts through your Chungking office.

2. In order to increase the production of silk to meet primarily the parachute requirements in India and in U.K., the Madras Government have undertaken to put up a new factory at Kollegal in Madras having 500 filature basins. The silk to be reeled will be of deniers between 20 and 32. The cocoons which are produced locally in Madras are of the multivoltine type and are reared from bush mulberry. It would be necessary that both the officers engaged should be able to speak English well, as in Madras there would otherwise be no common language through the medium of which to discharge their duties. In conversation with you I understood that you would expect to be able to obtain the services of first class experts on the salaries of Rs.700 per month for the Production Officer who would be the General Manager of the factory, and Rs.500 per month for the Technical Officer. We would have no objection to paying salaries in the neighbourhood of these figures. We propose that their employment would be on the basis of one year's agreement in the first instance, renewable for 6 monthly periods at the option of the Madras Government.

3. I should be grateful to you if you would take early steps to instruct your Chungking headquarters to proceed with the recruitment. They will no doubt in due course be furnishing us with details of the gentlemen selected so that we may cause the necessary visas to be issued.

Yours sincerely,

Sd.R.W. Targett.

A.J. Bell, Esq.,
Pekin Syndicate, New Delhi.

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Copy forwarded to Sir Hugh Wood, Adviser to H.E. The Governor of Madras, Madras, for information.

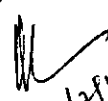
R. W. Targett

(R.W.Targett).

Mr. George,
14th January 1949.

Dear Mr. George,
I am much obliged to you
for sending me the copy of your
note to the Council in the
Secretariat of the Chinese
Executive for the National
Conference.

Yours sincerely,


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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
Department of Supply.

NO. B/S/FE

19 JAN 1943

Controller of Supplies
South India Circle
Madras.

18th January 1943.

My dear Madhava Menon,

The address of Mr. R.R. Ghosh, whose application to you for appointment under the Silk Scheme, has miscarried is as follows:-

"R.R. Ghosh, P.O. Pubail, Bengal Assam Rly.
Dacca, Bengal."

Mr. Peyghaud speaks well of him but it might be as well to make a reference to the Kashmir Government from whose service Ghosh retired a year or two ago.

I also gather that Mr. Hakim Ali, Director of Sericulture, Kashmir Govt. would be willing to take up service in the Madras Government if a suitable increase in his salary is given. His present emoluments are stated to be Rs. 550/- and I gather that a salary of about Rs. 800/- would be an inducement to him to resign from Kashmir Service. It will of course be undesirable to secure his services if the Kashmir Government should be unwilling to spare him and in this case as well a prior reference to the Dewan might be necessary.

Yours sincerely,



(M.P. Pai. I.C.S.)

P. Madhava Menon, Esq., M.B.E., I.C.S.,
Director of Industries & Commerce to the Govt. of
Madras, Chepauk, Madras.

Copy with compliments to A.R.C. Westlake, Esq., I.C.S.,
Development Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Chetput, Madras.

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To Under Secretary

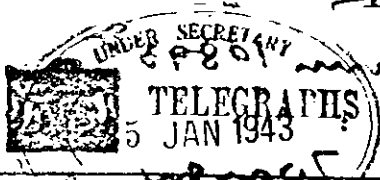
In view^{of} the proposal^x to secure the services of two Chinese Experts^{separately} for the supervision of excavations in this province, no action seems called for on this letter. ^{2nd of Oct.} p 1-2
This may be filed with the connected papers.

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NOTICE

This form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this telegram

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SILK EXPERT AVAILABLE SALARY SEVENHUNDRED PER MONTH HE MAY HAVE
TO RETURN TO CHINA DURING APRIL AND MAY WE HAVE AGREED ON YOUR
BEHALF TO ACCEPT HIM IN THESE TERMS SHALL INFORM YOU DATE

Express Telegram 10893 ^{27/4} 2-3 d 27.1.43 Dev. Dept

Wang
New Delhi.

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your telegram SyTx. 1943/1/22 addressed
to Hood Stop Madras Govt accept terms
offered to Chinese Silk Export Kindly
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O. No 10893 D/H2-H d 11.2.43

Dear Mr. K.)

Sub: Sick Leaves at Kollegal-Appointment
of Manager.

As you know,
I ~~believe you are~~
^{are}
~~ware of the~~ proposals, under consideration

the employment of two Chinese
experts to supervise the work of the
sick leaves in this province, one as the
Union Manager and the other as the
~~Technical~~ Technical Expert. Please refer in

dated 22.12.42 to Mr. Madhava Menon and

to ~~Foot End~~ ^{Coppy of Tel} No 10893 D/42-3 d 27.1.43

to the Dept. of supply. The position now is that we have engaged a Chinese expert who may or may not leave us in a month or two after his arrival and we await another for appointment as Technical Expert. Some suitable arrangements will have to be made if the Expert Business Manager leaves us and the other does not come at all. I am to request you to keep this in mind when you are examining

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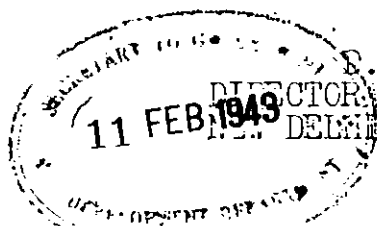
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A. Khaleeli Esq

~~DI~~ I.C.S.

helped by Mr. Heringham.
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S.O. NO. 54(Tx-62(157))
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF SUPPLY
MADRAS, the 6th February '43.

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My dear Westlake,

1/ May I invite a reference to my telegram dated 22nd January '43 regarding the Silk Expert from China. We understand now that Mr. Chou has accepted our offer and has agreed to waive the condition of returning to China in April and May as he wished to do at first. His arrival, however, will be delayed until sometime in March. I understand further that Mr. Chou will be coming here with his family. We are arranging for necessary visas to be issued.

2/ Mr. Chou will require accommodation at Kollegal and I hope you will take necessary steps to find him something suitable.

3/ If you wish any particular joining instructions to be conveyed to Mr. Chou, I shall be grateful if you would let me know early..

Yours sincerely,

(H.M. PATEL)

A.R.C. Westlake, Esquire, I. C. S.,
Secretary, Development Department,
Madras Government, Madras.

Dev. Dept

D.O. No 10893 D/42-5 d 12.2.43

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Sub: Silk Reelers at Kollegal. Appointment
of a Silk Expert from China

I am to enclose copy

p 33 of D.O. No Sy/Tx-62 (157) d 6.2.43

from Mr. H. M. Patel and to request that

necessary steps be taken at once to have
the manager's quarters completed as early as possible of ~~man~~ to
provide ^{suitable} ~~suitable~~ accommodation, to the

Chinese expert, at Kollegal. Please also

report urgently on any particular

giving instructions to be conveyed to the

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D.O. No 10893 D/42-6 d 12.2.43

To A. Khalseli Esq
I.C.S
D.I.C.

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Re: Silk Lihars at Kollegal - Appointment of
Chinese Experts.

Ref: Your D.O. No 54/Tx-62(157) d 6.2.4

I am to thank you for
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your letter cited and to say that the Govt of
are glad that was agreed to
Madras consider Mr Chant's decision to waive

the condition of returning to China in 31
April and May ^{to be} ~~take~~ a better arrangements
Arrangements will be made to provide
him with suitable accommodation at
Kollegal when he arrives here in
March and I shall write separately
on the joining instructions to be conveyed to
him.

2. Please let me know ^{what} ~~whether~~
^{progress} ~~any arrangements~~ have been made
in ^{select} ~~regards to the appointments~~ of a
Chinese Technical Expert for the Bill
H. H. Patel Esq. ICS Filings in this province besides Mr. Chandra

Vide tel at Pt 13-15 of
and M on 28/4

H. H. Patel Esq. ICS

S. D. R. (Texts.)

New Delhi.

Copy to D. D. R.

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1/10/60 State Ordinary (Mr. K. is due to
be at Kollegal only on 14/2,

Director of Industries, ^{Dr. A. K. S.} [✓] [✓] [✓] [✓]
(camp) Kollegal

Chinese expert and family
expected (to) reach Kollegal
(in) March and construction
and furnishing (of) his
quarters should be completed
urgently

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13243 Dr. A. K. S. ✓
to D.I.C. camp Kollegal

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY.

18 FEB 1943

Controller of Supplies,
South India Circle.

United India Life Building.

Madras, dated 17-2-1943

Dear Mr. Westlake,

Ref: Kollegal Filature Scheme - Appointment of a
Chinese Expert.

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pp 43-49 below
The accompanying copies of correspondence received from the Textiles Directorate, New Delhi, in regard to the appointment of Mr. Y.T. Chou for Kollegal Filatures, are sent herewith for your information and for being shown to Sir Hugh Hood. It may kindly be made clear to me whether Mr. Y.T. Chou's appointment is in respect of the existing Kollegal Filatures, Ltd., or of the proposed new Filatures, or both. I suggest that you instruct Mr. Khaleeli, the Director of Industries, to fix up suitable residence for Mr. Chou.

Yours sincerely,

M.P. Pai
(M.P. Pai. I.C.S.)

A.R.C. Westlake, Esq., I.C.S.,
Development Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Chetput, Madras.

(Enc. Four copies)
of letters.

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D.O.No.Sy/TX-62(157) dated 13-2-1948 received from the Textiles Directorate, Department of Supply, New Delhi, by the Controller of Supplies, S.I.Circle, Madras.

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KOLLEGAL FILATURES.

33 above
62(18) dated 13-2-1943
"In continuation of Para 2 of Mr.Patel's D.O.letter No.SY/TX. 62(18) dated 13-2-1943 I enclose herewith copies of letter received from the Pekin Syndicate, Ltd., New Delhi, together with its enclosures, regarding the Chinese Expert, Mr.Chou. I should be grateful if you would pass on one copy to Sir Hugh Hood so that suitable arrangements for accommodation at Kollegal for a family of six members may kindly be made. We are arranging for visas for the family."

" Copy "

Madras.
17-2-1948.

Controller of Supplies,
S.I.Circle, Madras.

Copy of letter No.174/499/43, dated 11.2.1943 from E.M.R. Lewis,
Esq., the Pekin Syndicate, Ltd., Post Box 106, New Delhi to H.M.
Patel, Esq., ICS., Deputy Director General, Supply (I), New Delhi.

p 47 below
p 49 below I attach herewith a copy of letter No.C/D-479 of the
3rd Instant and a letter from Mr. Y.T.Chou to our Chinking Office
in original.

I trust this will give you all the necessary information
for arranging Visa etc.

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Encl:- Copy of C/D-479, and
Mr. Y.T. Chou's original letter

Copy of letter No. C/D-479 dated 3rd February, 1943 from the Pekin Syndicate Ltd., Chungking, to the Pekin Syndicate Ltd., India, New Delhi.

Dear Sirs,

We trust that our telegram of January 31 has reached you. The telegram reads as follows:-

M | " Y.T.Chou accepts position General Manager Madras
" Filature waived return but departure delayed to
" March Please arrange his and family visa full
" details mailed ".

We are now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Y.T.Chou which is enclosed herewith for your reference. Perhaps you may deem it fit to forward the original letter to Mr. R..-Targett.

For securing visa for Mr. Chou and his family, we furnish you with the following particulars:

Mr. Yen-Ting <u>CHOU</u>	46	years	of	age.
Mrs. Yen-Ting <u>CHOU</u>	40	"	"	"
Meng Teh Chou (daughter)	15	"	"	"
Shu Ching Chou (Son)	11	"	"	"
Lei Wei Chou (daughter)	7	"	"	"
Shui Ching Chou (daughter)	5	"	"	"

Mr. Chou will undoubtedly hasten his parture as soon as he possibly can.

Yours faithfully,
THE PEKIN SYNDICATE LIMITED.
Sd/- T.S.Miao.
for General Manager.

Copy of letter dated 30th January, 1943 from Messrs. Yunnan Silk Manufacturing Co. Ltd., c/o the New Fu-Tien Bank, Kunming (China), to the Pekin Syndicate, Ltd., Chungking.

Dear Sirs,

Attention Mr. T.S. Miao. *nc*

Your telegram of January 28th was received last evening. It reads as follows:

" 4223 Kunming Yentingchou government India
" offers you position of General Manager Madras
" filature 700 Rupees monthly please wire accep-
" tance Pekin Syndicate "

I telegraphed my acceptance by urgent telegram this morning as follows:

" Sindacato Chungking Miao accept position
" General Manager Madras filature am resigning
" winding up and hoping leave before end March
" with family please telegraph India and arrange
" passport visa air passage stop please wire India
" mail full details cocoons used buildings and
" equipment silk intended for and personnel of
" filature Chou "

I consider it a great honor that I, a Chinese, should be called upon to take up the position of General Manager of a silk filature in India and I shall do my very best to make it a success for the reputation of my country and for the interest of war production of the United Nations.

My acceptance is unconditional. Personal considerations do not come into the matter. My only wish is that Mr. R.W. Targett, Director-General of Supply, India, will give me his wise guidance and clear direction to discharge my duty, and my colleagues and co-workers, also the rank and file of the filature will give me their heart cooperation in our united effort to produce better and more silk in India for the United Nations' Air Force. For my part, I shall lend every effort in the interest of the work and in the accomplishment of the purpose, however, I am in need of more detailed information about the Madras filature as I have telegraphed you on January 25th and this morning.

Thanking you for your kindness,

Yours sincerely,
YUNNAN SILK MANUFG. CO. Ltd.

Sd/- Y.T.Chou.

Manager.

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TELEGRAM - EXPRESS.

DIRECTOR INDUSTRIES MADRAS

KOLLEGAL

CHINESE MANAGER LEAVING CHINA

MARCH AAA BRINGS WITH HIM WIFE

THREE DAUGHTERS ELDEST FIFTEEN

ONE SON ELEVEN

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O/C. *Ans*
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Dev. Dept.

D.O. No 10893 D/42.-7 d 22.2.43.

Sub: Silk Filatures in Madras - Appoint-
ment of a ~~Brit~~ Chinese Expert.

Ref: Your D.O. No SF/MAD d 17.2.43

I am to enclose
copy of telegram No SYTx-62(18)
dated 22.12.42 from Mr Targett
addressed to Sir Hugh Hood, on the
subject cited above, and to say that
the Chinese Expert will attend to the
technical side of the two filatures in
this province. As you know, the Govt

Have under their consideration the
Question of ^{entrusting to} ~~approaching~~ M/S Binny & Co., Ltd.,
Madras as ~~Managing Agents to~~
~~attend to the~~ ^{the work on the} Factory production side
of the two ~~factories~~ ^{filatures}. Khaleeli has been

asked to meet Mr Batchelor of Binny & Co.
~~about this~~ ^{is proceeding to Kollegal to visit the private factory.}
~~and~~ I shall write to you for this particulars
on this proposal.

Yours —

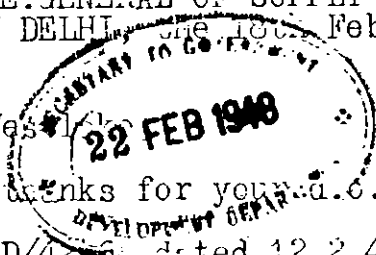
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To H. P. Pai Esq Es
Controller of
Supplies
Madras
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D.O.NO. 54/TX-62(157)
DTE. GENERAL OF SUPPLY
NEW DELHI, Feb: '43.



My dear Jesh

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Many thanks for your d.c.

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No.10893-D/42-6, dated 12.2.43.

Vide para 2,
p 37 of ..

We have not so far been successful in securing another Chinese Technical Expert who is also English-speaking. As Mr.Chou is himself reputed to have very high technical knowledge of silk manufacture, we feel that it would perhaps be best to leave over the question of another technical expert until he arrives. If he feels that it is essential for him to have additional

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additional technical
assistance, we can try again.

Yours sincerely,



(H.P. PATEL)

A.R.C. Westlake, Esquire, ICS,
Secretary, Development Department

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D.O. No 10893 P/42 - 8th d 26.2.43

Sub: Silk Industries in Madras - Appointment
of Chinese Expert.

Ref: My D.O. No 10893 P/42 - 5th d 12.2.43
and Telegrams dated 13.2.43 and
18.2.43.

I am to request ^{you} ~~you~~ to
report ^{urgently} ~~at once~~ about the accommodation
which you have been able to arrange at
Kollagal for Mr. Chan and his family.

^{Patel}
~~It~~ has since been reported
that the Govt of India have not been

Successful, in securing another Chinese
 Technical Expert who is also English-Knaw,
 that Mr. Chan himself is reported to have
 a very high technical knowledge of silk
 manufacture. And that it would perhaps
 be best to leave over the question of
 another technical expert until he arrives.
 The proposal to appoint another Chinese
 Expert in addition to Mr. Chan will therefore
 be ^{held over} dropped for the present.

Ans ²²⁴³
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Subject to orders.

To
 A. Khaleeli Esq I.C.
 D.I.E.C.

Copy to R.P. Pai Esq,
 Controller of S
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DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES
AND COMMERCE, MADRAS,

Dated, 23rd February 1943

24 FEB 1943

Dear Mr. Westlake,

Sub: Silk Filatures at Kollegal
Appointment of Chinese
Expert.p/35-36 Ref: Your D.O.No.10893-D/42-5,
above dated 12th February 1943.I can only suggest that Mr. Chou
be directed to see me before proceed-
ing to Kollegal.

Yours Sincerely,

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To

A.R.C. Westlake Esq., I.C.S.,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.p/35-36 *above* Dev. DeptTo U.S. The above is in reply to
reference made to D.I.C. regarding
our instructions to be given to the
man - vide para 3 on p 33 above

Advice from the Govt. of
India regarding the exact
date of his arrival is
awaited. Mr. Chan may
asked to meet D.I.C.
on his arrival at Rangoon.
No other action is called for.

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will be advised 1. 1. 1.

Thompson Andrews

Tell G. I. 1 this

Copy of letter (Confidential) D.O. No. Nil, dated 20.2.1943 from the Director of Industries and Commerce, to the Secretary to Government, Development Department, Madras.

*Requinal in
no 1743^{SC}/43*

Subject:- Government Silk Filatures, Kollegal -
Supply of electric power, etc.

1. When at Bangalore recently I met Rajamantrapravina K.V. Anantaraman, Minister for Revenue and Finance for Mysore, Mr. Hayat the General Superintendent, Cauvery-Power Scheme, Sri Appadurai Mudaliar, the Director of Industries and Commerce, Mysore, and the Managers of the Chennapatna Spun Silk Throwing Factory and the Government silk Factory, Mysore. I discussed with the Minister (i) the cocoon control scheme which the Government of Mysore contemplates enforcing in the near future, and (ii) the possibility of supplying electric power to the Government Silk Filatures from Sivasamudram. I discussed the control scheme in a little more detail with the Secretary of the department concerned and also with the President of the Silk Merchants Association of Mysore. I have been promised a copy of the bill as soon as it is ready. Madras will have to fall in line with the main provisions of this measure since Kollegal is after all a projection of Mysore in so far at least as the silk industry is concerned. Mysore is the big brother and what Mysore is of greater concern to us than what we do is to Mysore. However there is not likely to be any conflict of interest. Under the Mysore Scheme, Mysore filatures would of course come first.

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file.*

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4. Two other subjects were discussed at Bangalore; one concerned the working of filatures and the other the working of the Mysore Sericultural Department. On the filature side, besides the two ..

two Managers of the two Government concerns, I met the Chairmen of the Silk Filatures, T. Narasipur and of the Vellum Parachute Factory (of 500 basins). In view of the great demands made by the expansion scheme on Mysore resources, none of them could offer to lend the services of any competent reeling supervisors. The Manager of the Mysore Government Silk Factory, M.A. Qadir, gave me a great deal of information on many aspects of the problem. He has a good academic record -- he is a B.Sc., -- and has also 7 years' experience of running the Mysore Government Silk Factory to his credit. From the figures that I saw of the working of that concern he seems to have run it well. He is quite young and is full of push and drive. He is one of the men in reserve whom I am keeping in view for the running of the Government Silk Filatures at Kollegal.

5. I discussed the sericultural aspect of the question in some detail with the Director of Industries and Commerce, Mysore, and ascertained from him that Mysore could not spare us sericulturists in view of great demands being made on its resources by the expansion scheme. It may, however, be possible for Madras to get a young man from Patna, a M.Sc., in Zoology with Entymology as his main subject, now undergoing training in the Mysore Sericultural Department. I understand that he has been sent down by the Bihar Government and that he has had 7 months' training at Bhagalpur (Bihar) in eri and tussore silk worm rearing and in mulberry cultivation. I have not met the young man but I shall do so at an early date and shall then decide whether he would be useful to Madras.

Tps.

No. No 10893 D/42-9 d 9.3.43.

(my file)

Sub: Sillu Alatures in Madras - Management
Appointment of Chinese Expert.
Joining instructions.

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Ref: Your D.O. No Sy/Tx-62(157) d 6.2.43

p 33 cf.

With reference to paragraph

3 of your letter cited, I am to suggest

that Mr. Chan be asked to see ^{second} the Adviser
to H.E. The Governor who is in charge of Industries and the
Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras

Vide p 59 cf. &

order at p 60 cf

before proceeding to Kollegal.

H. M. Patel Esq I.C.S.

By Director General of

Dept of Supply

W.P. New Delhi

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Copy to D.I.C.

D.O. No. 777-D/42.

Director of Industries
and Commerce,
Madras, 11th March 1943.

My dear Sivasankar,

Subject: Silk Filatures in Madras
Appointment of Chinese
Expert.

Reference: Westlake's D.O.No.
10893-D/42-8, dated
26th February 1943.

The Manager's quarters at the
new filatures are almost ready.
Achaya has either already furnished ^{them}
or is in the act of doing so. Mr.
Chow when he arrives will be able to
move with his family into these quar-
ters.

Yours sincerely

T. Sivasankar

T. Sivasankar, Esq., I.C.S.,
Deputy Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

For perusal.

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A. *[Handwritten signature]*

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Express Telegram No 10893 ^{D/43} d 24.3.43

To

H. M. Patel

Telegram Commission
me
24/3

Care Waryup, New Delhi.

~~Agent~~ Chinese expert for
Silk Industries Madras^{aaa} will be
grateful for information probable
date arrival in Madras of
Chou

Devment

Van
24.3.43²

Ad. Sec.



INDIAN POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS DEPARTMENT

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NOTICE

This form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this telegram.

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TO

Deerment

Recd. here at

H.

M.

Sy/TX 6.15 (15) your telegram of 24th was
 Chou arrived Calcutta yesterday and has
 been asked to come up to delhi before leave
 for madras there he should arrive within
 next few days or so. P. 27/8/43

N.B.—The name of the Sender, if telegraphed is written after the text.
 Eden Press, Calcutta—No. 375 (5170/B-241)—12-2-42—1,50,000 Bks.

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Dev. Dept

Env. No 10893 7/43 - 10 d 27.3.43

Communicated to the D.I.C.

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the D.I.C. reports to the Co.
The franchise was about 24/3

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D.I.C.
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p 65 above.

Where is he going to stay in
London? Another day chance here?
I know of none.

HK
29/3/43

8-30/3/43

To Address.

A draft D.O. to D.I.C. is 8-11/43

Wm
27/3/43

D.O. No 10893 27/43-11 d 31.3.43

(Dear Mr. Khaleeli)

Sub: Silk Reelers in Madras - Appointment
of a Chinese Expert - Arrival of Mr. Chou

I am to invite a

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reference to Govt order No 10893 27/43-10
d 27.3.43 and to enquire what

arrangements you propose to make for
Chou's

1.50 p.m. to 2.00 p.m.
at 1.50 p.m.

stay in Madras; and whether you
know of any Chinese here with whom
he may ^{stay} ~~put up~~ at Madras.

✓
Khaleeli Esq

7 C.S

10893
31.3.43

Recd

21/3/43

Yr truly

Law

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Department of Industries
and Commerce,
Madras 2nd April 1943.

My dear Sivasankar,

p-1 above

Your D.O.No.10893D/42-11
dated 31st March 1943 -
Silk Filatures in Madras .
Appointment of a Chinese
Expert - Arrival of Mr.Chou.

There is a Chinese friend
of mine at Madras who will get into
touch with Chou when he arrives
here and give him the benefit of his
company. He is not in a position to
put up Chou, himself being an evacuee
from Malaya. Chou will have to stay
at one of the hotels, the Bosottos
for example. I take it that the
Government of Madras would meet the
hotel charges as also conveyance
charges when at Madras. If so I
shall reserve two rooms for Chou and
his family at the Bosottos. I shall
be glad to have a line in reply.

Yours sincerely

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T.Sivasankar Esq., I.C.S.,
Addl. Secy. to Govt., Dev. Dept.

Draft I

Dev. Dept

Item No. 10893. D/42-13. D. 3. 4. 43

Sub: Industries - Sericulture - Govt Silk
Reelery Factory at Kollegal - Chinese
Expert - Hotel and conveyance charges
at Madras - Expenditure - Sanctioned.

Ref From the Dile No 1028 D/43 d.
2. 4. 43.

The Dile is permitted
to incur the necessary expenditure for
Hotel and conveyance charges incidental
to Mr. Choi's stay at Madras enroute
to Kollegal. and ^{he is requested to} report in due course
the amount spent on this account.

The expenditure should in the
first instance be debited to the working
expenses of the Silk Reelery Factory,
under "43 a. Industries - Industries -
J. Sericulture - Silk Reelery Factory at
Kollegal" and adjusted to the appropriate
head of account when the details of
Mr. Chan's appointment as Business
Manager of the Factory are settled
later

2/4/43.

Ad. S.

8. 3/4/43

B on p 20.

B on p 20?

✓ To the ¹⁹⁴³ ~~Director~~ ^{AK}
✓ A.G. Thro &

P.T.O

Draft "
Express Telegram 10893 D/42-14

H. M. Patel

Care Warden, New Delhi.

Your telegram Sy/Tx 62 (157)

Twenty fifth March aac [Please]

Write exact date arrival [of]

Chou at Madras aac. Intimate

Whether he makes own arrangements

for stay Madras enroute Kottayam.

or whether accommodation may be arranged in
Hotel

Deverment

H. M. Patel

D.O.No. Sy/Tx-62(157)

DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF
SUPPLY,
New Delhi, the 1st April
1943.

My dear Westlake,

p69 above May I invite a reference to my telegram of the 25th March in which I informed you that Chou had arrived in India. He has reported to Delhi today and seen Targett and myself. He will be leaving Delhi almost immediately and after collecting his family from Calcutta will proceed ~~to~~ straight on to Madras where he expects to arrive about the 10th. He is unable to give a definite date as he is not certain if it would be possible for him to fix up necessary reservations in the trains from here to Calcutta and from Calcutta to Madras. He will be putting up at the Connemara. I am advising him to contact you immediately on arrival in Madras, and I trust you will then arrange for him to meet Sir Hugh Hood.

Yours sincerely,

H.M. Patel

A.R.C. Westlake, Esq.

(H.M. Patel)

I.C.S.,

Secretary, Development Deptt.

Madras Govt., Madras.

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D.O.No. 10893/42-815 87 5-4-43
6639Development Department
Chetput, Madras,
5th April 1943

My dear Khaleeli,

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I am to enclose a copy of Patel's D.O. letter dated the 1st April 1943. Please contact Mr. Chou immediately on arrival in Madras and ask him to meet me. I will arrange for a meeting with the Second Adviser to His Excellency the Governor as soon as I hear from you that he has arrived in Madras.

Yours sincerely,

5/4/43

A. Khaleeli Esq., I.C.S.,
Director of Industries and
Commerce, Madras. P.T.O.

D.O.No. Sy/TX-62(157)

DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF
SUPPLY,
New Delhi; the 1st April
1943.

Ad. sec.

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A.R.C. Westlake, Esq.

(H.M. Patel)

I.C.S.,

Secretary, Development Deptt.

Madras Govt., Madras.

D.O. No.

D/43.

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Director of Industries

UNDER SECRETARIES
COMMERCE

Madras, 5th April 1943.

6- APR 1943

DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

My dear Sivasankar,

Your D.O. No. 10893/42-D15, dated
5th April 1943.

I see from Patel's D.O. to you that Chow will be putting up at the Connemara and he will be arranging for this through Thomas Cooke or some such agency from Calcutta. I also see from his letter that he has been asked to contact you immediately on arrival at Madras. That means, I suppose, he will either phone you up from the Connemara or call on you at the Secretariat. As for my meeting him on arrival, I doubt if I can do this. I am leaving Madras on tour on the 9th and do not expect to be back till the 16th. A copy of my tour programme is enclosed. I shall be able to see Chow on my return from tour if he is in Madras at that time. Adyanthaya expects to be at headquarters from the 10th. I have requested him to phone up Connemara after this date and find out if Chow has arrived and let you know on the phone about it. I hope these arrangements

would meet your requirements

Yours sincerely,

at the

T. Sivasankar Esq., I.C.S.,
Additional Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

Dev. Dept

To Addl. Under Secy.

Govt of India have been asked by wire to intimate the exact date of arrival of Mr. Chan at this. The reply may be awaited. H 81-52
S. 44 v.

Meanwhile, the arrangements made by P.I.E. for contacting Mr. Chan as soon as he comes here are adequate.

These papers may be added to main file on it when for circles.

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6/4/42

Tour programme of Mr. A. Khaleeli,
I.C.S., Director of Industries and
Commerce, Madras, for April 1943.

April 1943.

9th	Leave	Madras	18	35	hrs.
10th	Arrive	Nandyal	13	50	"
11th	Leave	Nandyal			
	Arrive	Sunkesula			
12th	Leave	Sunkesula			
	Arrive	Kurnool.			
13th	Leave	Kurnool.	12	32	"
	Arrive	Bellary	21	00	"
14th	Halt	Bellary			
15th	Leave	Bellary	15	54	"
16th	Arrive	Madras	6	40	"

Sd. A. Khaleeli,
Director of Industries
and Commerce.

Development Department
Chetput, Madras,
7th April 1943.

My dear Khaleeli,

p81ab

Your D.O. dated 5th April
1943 enclosing a copy of
your tour programme.

p83c

I am to say that the
Government have no objection to
your visiting Sunkesula but desire
that you should return immediately
after inspecting the fish farm
there, cutting out Bellary from
your tour programme. It is im-
portant that you should contact
Mr. Chou before he leaves for
Kollegal. The earlier you can
return from the tour the better.

Yours sincerely,

Y 7/4/43

A. Khaleeli Esq., I.C.S.,
Director of Industries and
Commerce, Chepauk, Madras.

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7/4/43

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY
OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF SUPPLIES,
SOUTH INDIA CIRCLE, (P. B. 195), MADRAS,

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7th April 1943. D1
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... of*
Copy of telegram No. SY/TX-62(167) dated 5th April 1943 from WARSUP, to the
Controller of Supplies, Madras.

SY/TX-62(167) PATEL TO PAI STOP CHOU VISITED DELHI AND LEFT FOR CALCUTTA
ENROUTE MADRAS STOP HE WITH HIS FAMILY EXPECT ARRIVE MADRAS ABOUT TENTH AND
HAS MADE OWN ARRANGEMENTS THROUGH THOMAS COOK FOR STAY AT CONNEMARA HOTEL
AT MADRAS STOP PLEASE INFORM DEVELOPMENT SECRETARY ACCORDINGLY - WARSUP

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Forwarded to the Secretary to the Government, Development Department, Madras,
for information.

inf D & C
Depdt
*For Controller of Supplies,
South India Circle, Madras.*

Encl. 10893-2/42-1773
Communicated to the D.I.C.

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*8/4/43
to the D.I.C.
(with encl.)*

D.O.No. 10893 ^{21/4-17} 13-6-43

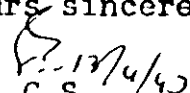
Development Department,
Chetput, Madras,
13th April 1943.

My dear Khaleeli,

I am to request you to meet me in my room at the Pachiappa's College Buildings on the 14th at 11 A.M. if it is not inconvenient in connection with the programme of work to be drawn up for Mr. Chou who is already here. Pai will also be present.

I am also to inform you that you should accompany Mr. Chou to Kollegal. The exact date may be fixed in consultation with Mr. Chou.

Yours sincerely,

✓  17/4/43
A. Khaleeli Esq., I.C.S.,
Director of Industries & Commerce
Chepauk, Madras.

DRAFT FOR APPROVAL.

Der Dept.

Date.	Initials.
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SUBJECT :—

When received for
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When copied ..

When examined..

When signed ..

When despatched.

Chou Mr. Y. T. - Chinese Silk
Expert - Appointed as Manager
Govt Silk Reeling Factory.
Kollagal

READ AGAIN 7.0, 455 - 11 263, dated 26 - 10 - 19 42

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No. _____ From the _____, No. _____, dated _____ 19 _____

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Order Ms. No. 610, dated 20/4/43 19
~~Resolution-Rout.~~

~~Resolution Route.~~

The following position in the Dept. of

Industry and Commerce is ordered:

'M on 147. ^{above} of. Mr. Y. T. Chan is appointed to act
 temporarily as Manager, Govt Silk Reelers
 factory at Kollegal, in the post of Manager
 sanctioned in G.O. No 455-M Dtd 26.10.42
 with effect from the date of his ^{separation} ~~separation~~
 himself to the Govt at Madras.

He will draw a Salary of Rs 700/-

X on 12.12.1947 p.m. as personal pay, in modification
of the scale of pay of Rs 350-15/2-500.
para 1, (E). p.m. sanctioned for the post in the 2.0 ad.

2. ~~Mr D. I. 8c is requested to draw up a~~
~~memorandum of instructions to Mr. Chan, in~~
~~respect of the items of work to be allotted~~
~~to him for the working of the Govt. Silt~~

Silanes Factory, Kollagal and submit a
Copy of the memorandum to the Govt.
as early as possible². ^{He D.I.C.} He is requested to
examine whether any alterations are
necessary in regard to the existing
arrangements for the administrative
Control of the Kollagal Silk Silanes.
and submit a detailed report to the Govt.
for consideration.

3. The attention of the D.I.C. is
invited to the instructions in P.O. No 196
Dri. dated 28.5.1937, as amended from time
to time - ^{He is requested} and to draw up a ^{draft} ~~form~~
^{in consultation with the Chief} agreement relating to the conditions of
his service under the Govt. of Madras and
to submit it for the approval of the Govt.

4. The expenditure on account of
the salary etc of the Chinese Expert Shau
be debited to "43 a. Industries - Industries
- ^{Serialized.} Govt. Silk Silane Factory, Kollagal"
and included in the working expenses
of the factory.

16/4/43

8.16/4/43

To the D.I.C.

Mr. Y.T. Chao R.

.. A.G. Kuri R.

.. S. S. P. (for public
of no. 1 of P.O.)

Recd
16/4/43



D.O.

DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND
COMMERCE,
Madras, 1st May 1943.

My dear Sivasankar,

Subject: Mr. Y.T. Chou - Chinese Silk
Expert.- Appointed as Manager,
Government Silk Filature Factory,
Kollegal.

Will you please refer to G.O.No.810
Development dated 20th April 1943 appointing
Cnou as Manager of the Government Silk Filatures,
Kollegal ? I reproduce below paragraph 1 of
letter No.368-SF/43 dated 27th April 1943 from
Chou:

(L)

" It is with great pleasure that I
received the G.O. to manage the Govern-
ment Silk Filature, Factory, Kollegal,
and I would very much like to thank the
Madras Government through you for having
given me the honour of serving under
them.

"In all the official communications,
I received from the Department of Supply,
through the Pekin Syndicate Ltd., Chung-
king, I was given to understand that I
would be the General Manager for the
Government Silk Filature, Kollegal and be
in charge of the technical and production
sides. But, I now find that I have been
designated as Manager and not as General
Manager as I was offered and accepted by
me. I, therefore, request that Govern-
ment may please be requested to change
my designation from Manager to General
Manager. In anticipation of approval,
I am adopting the designation "General
Manager" in all my correspondences etc."

Chou desires to be known as General Manager.
He has adopted this designation in anticipation of approval. I suggest that Government change his designation from Manager to that of General Manager and approve his action.

Yours sincerely,

Uthappa

May 11
approved

8/4/43

If Mr. Chou desires to

T. Sivasankar Esq., I.C.S.,
Addl. Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.

be styled a General Manager

Memo No. 9377- D/43-1 D. 6-5-43

Sub: Chou, Mr. Y. T. - Manager, Govt Silk
Filature factory at Kollegal - Designation
changed to "General Manager"

pp 2 of C. 9377 from the D.O. No. 1 of 1-5-43

In modification of paragraph 1

(L)

A.O. No 610 D.O. of 20-4-1943, Mr. Y. T.
Chou will be designated as ~~General~~ ^{General} Manager,
Govt Silk Filature factory at Kollegal.

To the D.O.

Mr. Y. T. Chou the D.O.

The Accountant Genl.

The S.O. for publication
in the Gazette (Parings)

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2. The action of Mr. Y. T. Chou in
adopting this designation in anticipation
of the sanction of the Govt is approved.

6/5/43. Ad: D. 6/5/43

[NOTE: With reference to the orders on p. 2 of
a draft Memo is submitted for approval.

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S. 6/10/43

Sub:- Industries-Sericulture-Silk Filature Factory at Kollegal-
Appointment of Manager-Nomination by the D.I. & C.

C.No. 10893/42 Ref:- From the D.I. & C, No. 777/P/42 dated the 6th November 1942.
To Under Secretary.

With reference to paragraph 3 of S.O. No. Ms. 450-W

Dev dated 26-10-1942, the D.I. & C has submitted proposals for the appointment of Sri. V.M. Appadhorai Mudaliar as Manager of the Factory.

The D.I. & C and the Sericultural Expert consider Sri V.M. Appadhorai Mudaliar to be suitable among the three applicants to the post. The nominee of the D.I. & C is a retired Asst.

Superintendent of Sericulture from the Mysore Service and is aged 58 years. For orders whether the recommendation of the D.I. & C will be approved. (The post of Manager is a gazetted one and the

appointing authority is the Govt; the post is outside the purview of the service rules and the Public Service Commission need not be consulted).

may be approved
10/11/42

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We want a Manager urgently and the nominee of the D.I. & C is the best man available. He has wide experience of all branches of sericultural work including the running of ~~filatures~~ silk filature. The post is for the present sanctioned for one year and he may be reappointed to it.

CAH
11/11/42

CAH
18/11/42

I do not agree
pl speak

14/11/42

Spoken. As things we need not have a Sericultural man as Manager but a man who has business experience and can run the factory efficiently. He may have to be given, according to his experience, any stage in the sanctioned scale of pay. And be advanced again, despite

To Under Secy.

With ref to order on p 1 above, a draft
memo is submitted for approval.

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18.11.42

S (f.p.a.u.)

Seen by secy on 19.11.42 - 1

[Issued as Memo No 10893 D/42-1 d 18.11.42 to DICE]
[Issued as D.O No 10893 D/42-2 d 19.11.42 to DICE]
[From this DICE No 777 D/42 dated 24.11.42]

To Under Secretary

A on p 8 of

The post of Manager in the Silk

Refractory at Kollegal is a gazetted one and it

has been excluded from the purview of the Commission.

With reference to G.O. No 1964 Public Services dated 16.10.37 at a fee of Rs. 15/- from
each applicant should be levied. In view of the DICE's
remarks, at 11 on p 7 of. it is for order whether the
levy of fee in this case will be waived. Revenue may

see for remarks.

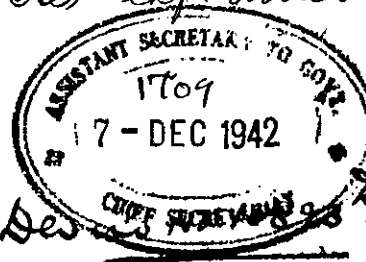
may be waived in the case explained

by the D.O.

5.12.42

Pub (Ser)

For



Public (Services) Department.

Under G.O. No. 1964 Public (Services)

dated 16-10-1937 a fee of Rs. 15 should be levied from
each ^{applicant} ~~appointment~~ for any post in a Provincial
Service who applies in response to an advertisement.

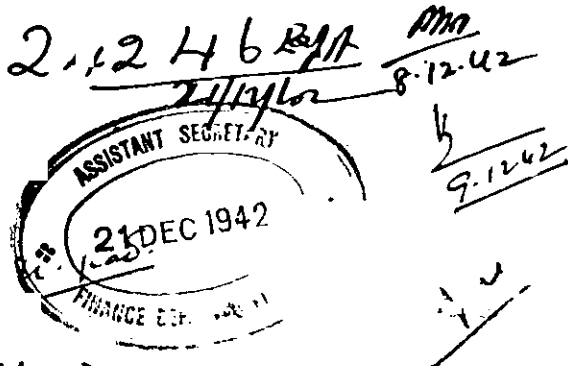
It was obviously the intention of Government that the
above orders should apply also to gazetted posts which
by reason of exclusion from the purview of the
statutory rules under the proviso to section 24(2)
of the Government of India Act, 1935, are not

classified into any provincial service. Hence a fee of Rs. 15 should ^{ordinarily} accordingly be levied in the present case. In view, however, of the fact that the candidate selected for appointment will hold ^{post} ~~the~~ only for one year, this department need not perhaps object to the waiver of the fee in the case. Subject to orders the file may be passed on to Finance.

(E)

The fee may be waived for the reason stated at M. in 8 CF.

9/12/42



9/12/42 CS

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Finance

Finance (Exp. A.)

This deptt. also may agree to the waiver of the fee

21.12.42

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Dev. Dept.

Exp. 24246 Exp. A. 1



To Under Secretary.

A draft memo to the D28 is submitted.

29/12/42

30/12/42

[Issued as Memo No 10893 D/42-5-d 30/12/42]
[From the D28 No 777 D/42-d 29/12/42]

To Under Secretary.

This file relates to the selection of a suitable candidate for appointment to the post of Manager in the Govt. Silk Filature factory at Kollegal.

2. The D.I. & C advertised the post in the newspapers. Applications received from persons with previous experience in sericulture are at (F). With reference to instructions issued at pages 3-5 c.f, the D.I. & C readvertised the post to select suitable persons with business experience. Applications from persons claiming to possess business experience are at (G). A tabulated statement giving particulars of the qualifications, previous experience etc of these applicants is at pages 13-16 c.f. The D.I. & C does not consider of these applicants as suitable for the post.

3. A 2nd ^{was} ^{by} consulted the officers of the Govt. of India on the selection of suitable Chinese experts for supervision of the Filatures in Madras - one as Business Manager and the other as Technical Expert. The Govt. of India are making enquiries with the Chinese Govt. in this regard; they have suggested that the cost of these experts be met by the Govt. of Madras, the expenditure being ultimately recovered ^{through} the cost of silk supplied to them. It is proposed to agree to this suggestion. Finance Dept. have however pointed out, in regard to this proposal, that the post of Manager in the Silk Filature Factory at Kollegal be not filled up in view of the appointment of these Chinese Experts. The Director has however suggested that an intelligent person not necessarily with previous business experience may be selected and given training under the Chinese Business Manager.

4. The points for orders now are:-

(i) whether in the circumstances stated above, the selection of a candidate from among the applications forwarded by the D.I.

will be postponed till the results of the enquiries made by the Govt. of India to secure the Chinese Business Manager are known and

(ii) whether a candidate as suggested by the Director may be selected and given training under the Chinese Business Manager for appointment to the post of Manager later.

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The latter suggestion may be approved. The suggestion of the D 14c at IV on p. 12 of may also be approved. For order
2143.S.

Please arrange to
original officers. in
the other mentioned in the
Staff. and number them in
serial order in the Staff. 2.1.43.

To Under Secretary.

Re: Secy's orders above:- The original applications have been arranged in the serial order mentioned in the statement on pages 13-16 c.f and the Serial Nos. of the applications are indicated in red pencil. The statement also gives references to the pages in flag (G) in respect of the applications.

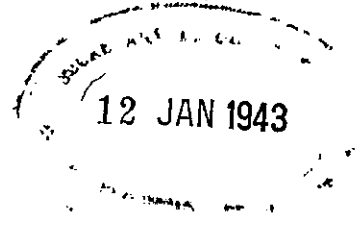
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Resubmitted

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No. 25. (T.K.K. Murki) seems suitable and no. 51 (W.N.S. Chari) is a possibility. But we may not require any of these men if we are to get 2 Chinese experts. This may be held over till we hear from the G. of I. about the Chinese experts.

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DEVELOPMENT DEPT

Sub:- Manager of the new Govt. Silk Filatures,
Kollegal.

A | Is this post gazetted and is the appointment to be made
| by the Govt? The D.I.&C. advertised this post, but has not yet
| made his nomination. Ask him to send up his nomination at once

53 | 2. There was a file about requisitioning the existing
| Kollegal Filatures. Please get it pushed through quickly if it
| has gone to other depts.

CAH
m/m

To Under Secretary.

4.6.4.15-14 Dec
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A above: The post of Manager for the new factory
a Gazettee are and the appointment is to be made by the P.
- vide notes marked A & B in the P.O. at (F). A draft memo to
the D.I.C. is submitted as directed.

B above: The file is submitted separately

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SC (after review of me)

29 Dec 1941
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Issued as Memo No. 10893 D14218 23/12/42
CAH
m/m

(From Dir. Gl., Supply, telegram no. 3ytx62(18), d 22-11-42) pp 13-15 F.

I agree. Finance had better see.

H.M.H.
25-12-42.

Special.

Put up file. Reply must go at once after Finance has

seen.

C.R.K.
15-12-42.

To J.S.

It is not clear whether a Chinese Factory Manager and a Chinese Technical Expert are proposed for the existing filature factory or for the new one or for both the filature factories. The Board of Directors of the existing factory has advertised for the post of Manager for the factory. At the instance of the Govt. of India, the Board ^{however} has been asked to say whether it is ^{as manager} willing to appoint one Mr. Macdonald on Rs. 600 p.m. As regards the new factory, a post of Manager on Rs. 350-15/2-500 has been sanctioned. The D.I.C. has been asked to send up urgently necessary nomination

The Board of Directors is favouring Mr. G. P. (F) who have to be dropped. He is a good man. He is a good man. He is a good man.

for filling the post. The Director General's present proposal is to recruit ~~to~~ two Chinese persons, one as factory manager and the other as technical expert to supervise filatures in Madras. For orders whether 1 on page 2 above will be made clear before sending the file to Finance.

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The two Chinese experts are obviously for

~~both the factories~~
~~as they are to supervise~~
~~filatures in Madras~~
~~their salaries are~~
~~to be included in the costing of the silk~~
~~produced.~~

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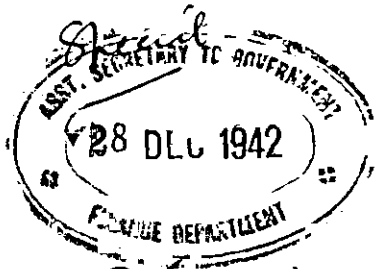
both the factories, as they are to supervise filatures in Madras. Their salaries are to be included in the costing of the silk produced.

Dev. 108938/42-4

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Fin(2)

There is at present one private Filature Factory at Kollegal. The Govt have given financial assistance to the Factory in the shape of buying shares and two Govt. Sericulturist Expert is at present the managing

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Director of the Factory. In addition, the Govt. have sanctioned the starting of a new Filature Silk Factory at that place with a manager on Rs. 350-500 and necessary staff to cope with the increased demand for silk for war purposes and this is expected to start functioning from about January 1943. The Govt. of India have now advised that they are approaching the Chinese Govt. with a view to securing the services of 2 individuals - one as Factory manager and the other as technical expert - to supervise running of filatures in Madras. ^{to be given to these persons} The pay ~~of these persons~~ has not been shown, but the Govt. of India state that they will have to be paid by this Govt. and recovered later as part of the cost of silk to be sold to the War Dept. As has agreed to the proposal. Submitted that this Dept. also may agree. In view of the Govt. of India telegram, Dir. may be requested now to fill up the post of Factory Manager

Sanctioned

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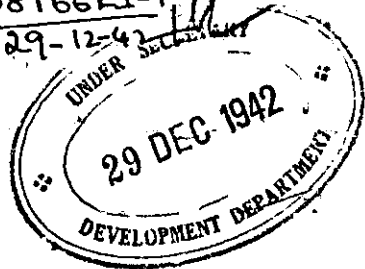
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To Under Secretary.

Dev Dept

A2's minutes on p 5 of:

1.1.43

Finance Dept have agreed to the

H. H. S. above proposal in this file to appoint two Chinese experts to supervise the filatures in this province and to debit the expenditure to the cost of silk supplies to the war.

Vide Ltr Regt
demon. above

The case may be circulated before a reply is sent to the Govt of India. A draft reply is submitted on p 16.

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29/12/42
W. H. C. M.
u. H.

[From the Dept. of Supply, Telegram d 22.1.43] 3 p:

To Under Secretary.

Please see the telegram abt p 27 cf. The person reported to be available now is the production officer who can also be the General Manager of the factory.

- Vide M on p 23 cf. The construction of the factory buildings and installation of basins have not been completed. The Chinese expert will be able only to start the factory during the short run of 3 or 4 months in he will be here, and another will have to be appointed when he leaves in April or May 1943. For orders whether the Govt of India may be, informed that the Govt of Madras accept the terms of appointment regarding period and salary.

of the Expert. India may also be asked when their
 reply regarding selection of a Technical Expert may be
 expected. Subject to order, a draft telegram is
 submitted for approval, ^{at p. 28 of.} ~~It may be seen by Finance.~~

- before ~~approval~~ Circular.

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(Previous note of Fin. on 14.9.11)

Fin (E.I.)

Des No 10893-D/42-2
 25-1-43.

The scale of pay sanctioned for

the Factory Manager for the New silk Factory is —

Rs 350-15/2-500. The E.I. have however accepted a

pay of Rs 700 for a Chinese officer for this post.

The revised rate of pay may be accepted.

The ^{telegram} ~~book~~ on page 27 C.F. does not

refer to the other conditions of service to be offered to

the officer, ~~like~~ ^{e.g.} leave etc. These terms will apparently
 follow those given to officers recruited on contract.

The details may perhaps be fixed after the receipt
 of any further communication from the E.I.

The draft reply on p. 28 C.F. may

AI may see.

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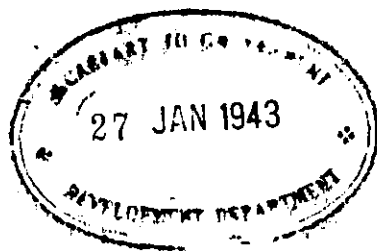
As the L.d.I say that they have
 accepted the Chinese expert on our behalf. and
 we ask for him - we have to acquiesce. The

possibility of his being to return to
China in April and May is distinctly
but perhaps the necessity will not arise

Ans
26.1.43

A 2 H.H.
26.1.43

A 1 S
27.1.43



[Issued as Express telegram no 10893 to 423 of 27.1.43]

I wonder if the new Bill among the
public which apparently is that we have
engaged one Chinaman who may or who
may not leave us in a month or two
and we want one more Chinaman.

If No 1 leaves us and No 2 does
not come how do we stand. But then
he is a do. and a L to keep it
in mind when he is pondering on the
organization of the Kollegal Parkes

Ans
27.1.43

Under Secy

A draft D.O. to D.I.E. is submitted,
directed above to me, in Dev. to day at once.

This should have been on my table yesterday
11.2.43

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[Issued as D.O. No 10893 D/42-H d 11.2.43 to D.I.E.] 11.29

[From Mr. H.H. Patel, D.O. No 54/Tx-62(157) d 6.2.43] 1.55

To Under Secy.

With reference to the order on the D.O. at
p 33 cf., a draft D.O. to the D.I.G. and a draft D.O. to
Mr. H.M. Patel are submitted. After issue, the letter at
p 33 cf. may be circulated for information.

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* [Issued at 11.35.30
cf.]

Mr. Khaleeli is in Kollegal now —
better wire to him than about his q^{ty} of
accommodation for Mr. Chow & family

12.2.43

U.S.
Please do this
12.2.43

Draft telegram below. Issue.

13.2.43

13.2.43 cf. [Issued as Telegram dated 13.2.43 to D.I.G.]
H-49 cf. [From the Controller of Supplies, No SF/MAD d 17.2.43]

To Under Secretary.

Please see the D.O. from the Controller of
Supplies, Madras at H-49 cf.

C on p 41 cf: Accommodation for the Chinese Legat.

A telegram has issued to D.I.G.
(now at Kollegal) regarding the composition of the Chow's
family. Reference is also invited to the earlier telegram
to D.I.G. at p 39 cf.

B on p 41 cf: Please see the Telegram
from the Govt of India at H-13-15 cf. and

The notes of this dept at pp 8-9 above. The
 Controller of supplies may be informed that the W.V.I.
 Chinese Expert is proposed to be appointed
 in respect of the supervision of both the
 filatures at Kollegal. The appointment is
 in regard to the technical side of the factories
 and separate proposals, ^{at the instance of the P.W.D. of India} for the appointment
 of M/S Binny & Co as Manager Agents to ^{Supplies to}
 attend to the factory production side, are ^{in progress}
 under examination. The controller of supplies is
 aware of this proposal. Subject to order,
 a draft D.O. to the Controller of supplies is ^{being} ^{issued at}
 for approval. ^{pp 53-54}

A on p. 41 of: The file may be circulated
 to A2 for perusal of the Copies of Correspondence
 at pp 43-49 of. and the action taken on the letter

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Ans 13
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What about accommodation for this family in
 Kollegal

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Full particulars were given W.D.C.
 In which he has been able to arrange

Ans 13
 23.2.43

Draft D.
 to D.I.C.
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f₁ 56 [From Mr. H.M. Patel, D. No SYTX-62(157) d 18.2.1943]
To Under Secretary.

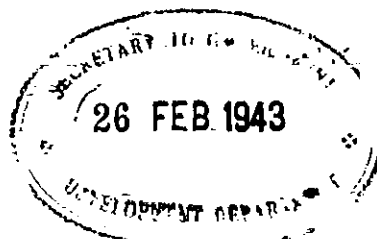
With reference to the orders on p. 16 also draft
N.O. to D.I.C. is submitted for approval

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H.B. 2.4.43

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C. 24.2.43
R. 26.2.43

f 59 of [From the D.I.C. L. No 777 P/42 d 23.2.43]
pp. 61-62 [From the D.I.C. to N. M. d 20.2.1943]

To Under Secretary

With reference to order on p. 60 of
a draft D.O. to Mr. Patel is submitted for approval

Also Extract put up at pp. 61-62 of:

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D.I.C.'s report on the two candidates

mentions by him as suitable for appointment
in connection with the Vile Parvate factory may
be awaited

28.2.43

A.2. may perhaps
mention before the matter goes to Kollegal

33431-5243/11.11.43 - B.M.

To Under Secretary

With reference to the order in which
the draft D.O. has been amended. For order
where it may issue as altered

8.3.43

Issue

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CN 4554 P/43

[Issued as D.O. No 10893 P/43-9 d 9.3.43
to the H.M. P.

To Under Secretary.

Please see the D.O. from Patel, (DDG. of Textiles) at p. 38 of. Though was stated that Mr. Chan, the Chinese Expert will arrive in India some time in March, no information has since been received of his probable date of arrival in Madras. This may be ascertained. Subject to order, a draft telegram to Mr. Patel is submitted for approval.

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[Issued as Telegram No 10893/43 d 24.3.43 to Secy] p. 1
[From Mr. Patel, DDG. Textiles, Telgr 24/3.62(157)25343] p. 2
[Issued as D.O. No 10893/43-11 d 31.3.43 to Secy] p. 11
[From the D.O. No 1028/43 d 2.4.43] p. 73

10 Under Secretary

A on p. 73 of A 22/2/43:5

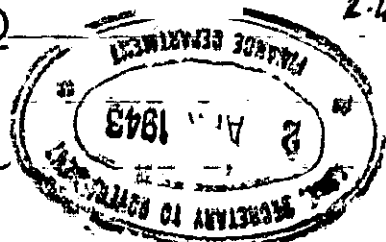
The conditions of service of Mr. Chan under the Madras Govt. have not been determined yet except in regard to the rate of pay. It does not appear that there are any rules relating to grant of hotel and conveyance charges to officers arriving to join appointments. In view of the special circumstances of the case for securing the services of a specialist for supervising silk rearing, this dept may suggest that Govt. meet the initial charges mentioned at A on p. 73 of A 22/2/43:5. It may be requested to advise on the point.

24/4/43
D. K.

Ima (Aut. B)

Please see Secy. Dept's note above.

Mr. Chan who is coming from China



to join as manager of the Govt. Silk Filatures at Kollegal is to see A₂ and Dir. of Industries & Commerce in Madras to take joining instructions on his way to Kellegal. During his stay here, it is proposed to accommodate him and his family of 5 members at the Boro Top and to debit the hotel charges to this Govt. This Dept. may perhaps suggest that to enable Mr. Chou to meet these incidental charges connected with his travelling to join his new post he may be given an advance of a month's pay which may be recovered from his pay later on in suitable instalments. A similar procedure was followed in the case of certain officers recruited from England for the Madras Fire Service. If however Mr. Chou is not agreeable to the ^{grant of an} recovery of the advance and insists that such charges should be borne by the Govt. urging that they would work hardship in his case, the question of Govt. meeting the expenditure may then be considered on merits, having regard to ^{any} special circumstances ^{that may be assumed} ~~of the case~~ (It seems not likely that these incidental charges will be small, ~~being~~ ^{if} Mr. Chou ^{claims them as connected with his} ~~is~~ ^{long journey} ~~from China to Kellegal~~ ^{to Kellegal}.)

~~It is~~ The intention of Govt. is to see that the Govt. should meet ~~the~~ the hotel ~~charges~~ as conveyance charges, ~~under~~ Mr. Chou is in Madras. This Dept. may agree. There is no time to ~~consider~~ ^{consider} ~~the~~ ^{the} should be treated as an advance.

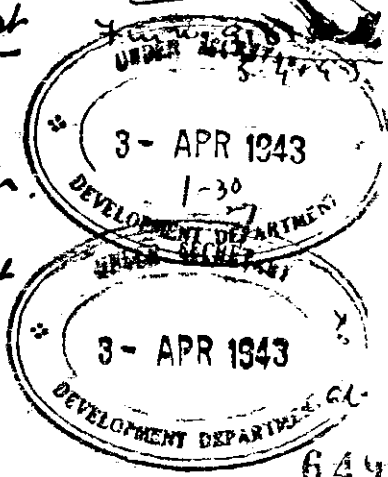
Pepranami. The Govt. may meet the
 change in the first instance & treat it
 as expenses of the Kongal Silk features
 the question as to who should bear
 the charges may be finally decided
 when the details of Mr. Cho's appointment
 are settled. Devt. may in the Dept. resume
 accordingly. U
3.4.43

To Adml Under Secy

Dev. Dept

to Mr. Cho

The course suggested by Sir.
 at B above may be agreed to. Subject
 to orders, a draft memo to the D.I. Secy
 is submitted.



Indra may also be addressed
 whether Mr. Char will make his own arrangements
 for his stay at Madras en route to Kollegal.

Subject to orders, a draft telegram is sent ✓ p 774
 for approval

Dr
3.4.43

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A₂ may see the D.I. Secy's letter at
 p-73 C.f. the memo at p-75-76 C.f. the Telegram
 to Indra at p-77 C.f. C.Y. & his minute at p-70 C.f.

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 He may f
 C.Y. & A.
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[Issued as Memo No 10892 P/42-13 d 2.4.43]

[Issued as Express Telegram 10893 P/42-14 d 2.4.43]

[From Mr. H.M. Patel D.O. 5777-62(157) d 1.4.43]

[Issued as D.O. No 10893 P/42-13 d 5.4.43]

[From the D.I. Secy D.O. No 2/43 d 5.4.43]

To Addl Secretary.

Please see the D.O. from the D.I.B. at
Pt 81-83 of and the T.M. from the Controller of Supplies

M. Chan is expected to arrive in Madras
about the 10th April. View of the arrangements made
him to stay at Connamaria, no action is called for with
reg to accommodation for him at Madras: ...

As regards joining instructions to be given
to M. Chan, it has been decided that he should see
the D.I.B. and A2 before proceeding to Kollegal.
D.I.B. proposes to leave for Camp on 9th. Leaving it to
the Jr. D.I.B. to contact M. Chan. For order whether the
arrangement will be considered adequate or whether
the D.I.B. will be asked to stay at Madras to meet
M. Chan, cancelling his tour to Nandyal on the 9th. [D.I.B.
may also be asked to keep the Quarters at Kollegal for M. Chan ready]
21/4/43

----- J. Men & A. The D.I.B. may go to Kunklesah
and return after the inspection of the fish farms
at Kuthup and Bellary from his tour for payment.
The D.I.B. should contact M. Chan in Madras before the
latter goes to Mysal. It may be desirable to
ask him to accompany him to Mysal. There with
Draft D.O. to the D.I.B.

[Issued as D.O. No 10893/42-16 dt 7.4.43]

[From the Controller of Supplies, Madras No 697 dt 7.4.43]

[Issued as D.O. 10893/42-17 dt 13.4.43]

To Addl Under Secretary

M. Chan has arrived in Madras and

Mr. Dill has been instructed by Adm. Secy orally re: the programme to be drawn up for Mr. Chou. Conditions of service of Mr. Chou under the Post of Madras have not been decided except in regard to the rate of pay. As paid out by the Ind. Dept, ^{the appointment} ~~it~~ will have to be on a contract basis. Subject to orders, a draft

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on 16/4/43

order is submitted for approval. It may be sent to Ind. for acceptance before circulation.
15.4.43.

Para 2 of draft deserves consideration with a view to see if it conforms to the result of discussions which Ad. S. may have had with Mr. Chou & Mr. Khateeli.

16/4/43

Ad. S.

Fin. & I

(Previous note of Fin. on pp 13 & 18-20 ante)

The post of Manager, Govt. Silk

Refractory Factory, Kollegal, has been sanctioned

only for a period of one year in G.O. 455-M. (E)

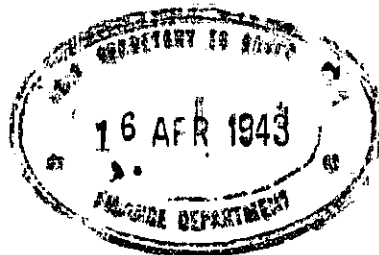
Dec. 26.10.42. The appointment of Mr. Chou

can therefore be only for that period at present.

This will no doubt be taken into consideration

at the time the agreement is drawn up.

The draft order may be accepted.



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Fin. no 10249 E.I.
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16/4/43 Ad. S. D

The draft order explains the proposal. In order that it may issue.

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16.4.43

Yes but have not Mr. Peychaud already been
 A appointed to that post? What is Mr P's
 position? & is this the old or the new
 B factory I am not sure what steps has
 C been taken to the two factories

14.4.43

14.4.43

Draft for review
 for review

14.4.43

[Issued as G.O.No.610 Ms. Dev dated 20th April 1943.]

To Addl. Under Secretary.

14.4.43

A2's minute at A²⁰ above:-

With a view to improve the production of silk
 in the Kollegal Silk Filatures Ltd, the Department of Supply
 suggested, in January 1943, for the consideration of the Govt. of
 Madras the advisability of putting Mr. Peychaud in charge of the
 Factory until such time as more satisfactory arrangements could be
 made. A2 ordered then that Mr. Peychaud be put in charge and told
 to get ~~on~~ ^{down} at once to producing better silk and to improve the
 quality of work turned ~~down~~ ^{out} by the labour which was not well trained.
 Subsequently, Mr. Peychaud was asked to be in charge of the
 purchase and supply of cocoons to the Kollegal Silk Filatures.
 Since then, the movable and immovable properties of the Kollegal
 Silk Filatures Ltd were requisitioned and acquired under the D.O.
 rules, by the Govt. of Madras. Mr. Peychaud who was till then
 in charge of the technical and production side ~~at the factory~~ ^{also}
 was asked to be in administrative control of the factory and
 arrange to work it without interruption. The acquired factory is
 now run by him. He has not been appointed formally to any post
 under the Govt. of Madras. He continues to be paid by the Govt.
 of India.

Mr. Peychaud is working in the factory and is in charge of the technical and production side.

The proposal was to get two Chinese Experts-one for Business Management and the other for technical management- for working the two factories at Kollegal. The Govt. of India were able to secure the services of Mr. Chou alone and they suggested

that it would perhaps be best to leave over the question of another Chinese Expert till Mr. Chou feels it is essential to have additional technical assistance. Mr. Chou who has arrived, has been appointed as Manager of the Government Silk Filature Factory, Kollegal (Financed by the Govt. of India on behalf of H.M. Govt). The D.I. & C has been asked to report whether any changes in the existing arrangements ^{are necessary} for the working of the Kollegal Silk Filatures (Acquired and Financed by the Govt. of Madras), in view of Mr. Chou's appointment.

A 2's minute at C on page 23 above:-

The new Factory which is under construction and which is financed by the Govt. of India on behalf of H.M. Govt. in the U.K., is styled as the 'Government Silk Filature Factory, Kollegal.' The old Factory (private company known hitherto as the Kollegal Silk Filature Ltd) which has been acquired by the Government of Madras is styled as the 'Kollegal Silk Filature:

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I do not see that Mr. Chou will be of much use in charge of a factory, who will not be working for months.

The most important thing is to have both staff trained at the old factory. - both the labour & assistant managers. What arrangements does D.I.C. propose for the collaboration of Messrs Chou & Bejchand for this object.

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B above: The training of labour and supervisory staff required for the Govt. Silk Filatures has been sanctioned in G.O. No. 136 Ser of 6.2.43. The course of training will be for a period of three months for supervisory

21.4.43

Yes ^x ~~will~~ ^{has} not Mr. Peychaud already been
 A appointed to that post What is Mr. P.
 position? & is this the old or the new
 B factory I am not sure what steps he
 C has taken to the two factories

Dr. J. V. S. S. S.
 for issue)

14.4.43

my int.
 P. 20/4/43

14.4.43

[Issued as G.O.No.610 Ms. Dev dated 20th April 1943.]

To Addl. Under Secretary.

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The proposal was to get two Chinese Experts-one for Business Management and the other for technical management- for working the two ~~Factories~~ ^{Factories} at Kollegal. The Govt. of India were able to secure the services of Mr. Chou alone and they suggested

staff and 1½ months for labour staff. The D.O. has been asked to send a special report to Govt. as soon as the temporary staff is recruited and the course of training is commenced. His report is awaited.

C above. In D.O. No. 8247-D/43 dt 22.4.43 The D.O. has been asked to expedite his report on how best the work of the filatures could be distributed between Mr. Peychand and Mr. Chou., till June next, when Mr. Peychand's reversion to Kashmir services is due and thereafter. As regards the collaboration of the two officers for the purpose of training of staff for the new factory a draft D.O. ^{to D.O.} is submitted for approval.

By
2.6.43

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AA adm 27/4/43 Ad.S.

For D.O. & report to Govt. the Govt.
has been ^{referred} to it, why not.

[Insd as D.O. No. 10893-D/42-18 dt 27.4.43] 27/4/43
378 [From the D.O. No. N.D. dt 1.5.43]